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INFO AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

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SUBJ: HOSTSHIP OF FOURTH WORLD FOOD COUNCIL

MANILA PASS HATHAWAY AND FERCH, USDEL WORLD FOOD COUNCIL

FODAG

REF: STATE 140473

1. IN SOCIAL ENCOUNTERS WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, FOLLOWING HAS BEEN ASCERTAINED CONCERNING SUDAN'S REQUEST TO HOST FOURTH WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE (WFC) IN KHARTOUM IN 1978: (A) SUDANESE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AMIN ABU SUBEINA ADVISED THAT GOS IS SERIOUS REPEAT SERIOUS ABOUT INVITATION AND HAS A NEW CONFERENCE FACILITY WHICH CAN HANDLE WFC. HEW WAS UNCERTAIN CONCERNING SUDAN'S REPRESENTATION IN MANILA (SUDAN IS OBSERVER IN WFC) BUT STATED THIS WOULD BE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS REPRESENTA-
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TION; (B) IN SEPARATE CONVERSATION, SUDAN'S PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO FAO (AMIR ABDALLA KHALIB) STATED THAT SUDAN INTENDS PURSUE ITS INVITATION IN MANILA, IS PREPARED TO SIGN THE REQUIRED UN FORMAL AGREEMENT ON HOSTSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES, BUT THINKS ISRAEL, AND PERHAPS OTHERS, WOULD NOT "ASK FOR REQUIRED VISAS" AND WOULD NOT DESIRE ATTEND.

3. USDEL CAUTIONED THAT GOS HAD BEST CONSIDER FULL RAMIFICATIONS OF HOSTSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES IN EXTENDING INVITATION WITHIN UN SYSTEM. PROBLEM COULD BE SERIOUS IF SUDAN DID NOT FACILITATE ENTRY OF ALL ENTITLED PARTICIPANTS. SAME COMMENT WAS MADE TO MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE DURING EARLIER CONVERSATION; (C) MEXICAN PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE (ISMAEL OROZCO GUZMAN) STATED THAT WHILE HE WAS NOT BEING CONSULTED ON MATTER BY HIS CAPITAL AND WOULD NOT ATTEND MANILA MEETING, HE DOUBTED STRONGLY IF MEXICO WOULD OFFER TO HOST FOURTH WFC SESSION. HE ALSO WAS NOT ADVISED CONCERNING PROPOSED GOM REPRESENTATION IN MANILA.

4. WFC SECRETARIAT HAS DEPARTED ROME FOR MANILA AND THERE IS NO CHANCE TO UPDATE INFO HERE. HAVE BEEN UNABLE OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING POSSIBLE INTEREST OF ARGENTINA.GARDNER

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